



National Capital Consortium
Walter Reed National Military Medical Center
Department of Pharmacy
8901 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20889

Training Site Information

The National Capital Consortium (NCC) is the agreement among Navy, the Army, and the Air force in the National Capital Region (NCR) and other facilities working under a larger umbrella with a common vision. All directives are taken from NCC. The campus of the new Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Bethesda (WRNMMCB) is home to numerous outpatient clinics and has approximately 250-350 inpatient acute care beds.

Mission

The mission of the NCC is to educate physicians, dentists, pharmacists, and other healthcare professionals who care for soldiers, sailors, airmen, and marines of all ages and their families. The NCC will provide a scholarly environment and is dedicated to excellence in both education and healthcare etc. The NCC is dedicated to instilling in these trainees the ethical values and standards expected of those devoting their lives to public service.

The National Capital Consortium, by supplying leadership and resources, complies with the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) Institutional Requirements and ensures that Consortium-sponsored programs comply with ACGME program requirements. All medical, dental, and pharmacy residency programs operate under the authority and control of the Consortium. The Consortium regularly assesses the quality of its educational programs.

The Walter Reed National Military Medical Center (WRNMMC)

The Walter Reed National Military Medical Center is an integrated tri-service two-campus military medicine system, a unique combination of the flagship of navy medicine, the premier army medicine and the air force medicine. WRNMMC North Campus in Bethesda, Maryland is a tertiary care, university affiliated teaching hospital and referral facility. We are located directly across the street the National Institute of Health (NIH) and the National Library of Medicine. WRNMMC will provide a world-class medical care for our wounded warriors, retired military personnel and their dependents, as well as active duty military personnel and their independents. Challenges for treating these patients encompass most medical specialties: traumatic brain injuries, trauma surgery, rehabilitation, medical and geriatric population, and pediatric and neonatal care. These provide great opportunities for training and learning.

To learn more about WRNMMC pharmacy residency programs, please visit:

www.bethesda.med.navy.mil/careers/Graduate_Medical_Education/GME_Residencies/Pharmacy/index.aspx



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National Capital Consortium Pharmacy Practice Residency Program

Program Overview

The purpose of the National Capital Consortium Pharmacy Practice Residency (PGY1) Program is to develop pharmacists who are valued members of the healthcare team, achieving optimal drug therapy outcomes through the application of their knowledge.

In the Pharmacy Practice Residency at WRNMMC, residents will have the opportunity to participate in clinical, management, and distributive pharmacy services at our tertiary care, university affiliated teaching hospitals and referral facilities. The program provides flexibility for the residents to focus on individual interests and career goals.

Experiences include internal medicine, formulary management, pharmacy administration, critical care, oncology, and numerous others. Residents also participate in the medication use evaluation process, precept PharmD students, and provide education lectures. A research project, worthy of publication, is required.

Details

Residency Program

Duration/Type:	12 mo/PGY1 Pharmacy Practice Residency
Number of Positions:	4
Application Deadline:	January 13th, 2012
Starting Date:	July 1
Estimated Stipend:	\$48,000+
Interview Required:	Yes



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Residency Requirements

Research Project	Longitudinal
Staffing	Every third weekend (8-hr shifts)
Drug Utilization Evaluation	One
Journal Club	Two (minimum)
Case Presentation	Two (minimum)
Research/Statistics Course	August (1 day)
BLS/ACLS Certification	August/September
Mass Casualty/Disaster Drill	October
ASHP Midyear	December
Eastern States Residency Conference	May
Major Presentation (WMSHP, Grand Rounds, etc)	Minimum of one

Residency Rotations

Required Rotations	Length of Experience
Internal Medicine (2 required)	Five weeks each
Critical Care	Five weeks (10 weeks optional)
Oncology	Five weeks
Management/Administrative	Five weeks + longitudinal
Ambulatory Care	Required longitudinal (40 weeks)
Elective Rotations	Length of Experience
Infectious Disease	Five weeks
Ambulatory Care	Five weeks
Nuclear	Five weeks
Formulary Mgt/Drug Info	Five weeks
NICU	Five weeks
Cardiology	Five weeks



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2012 – 2013 Rotations for PGY1 Residency

Rotation	Primary Preceptor
Internal Medicine	Albert Ly, PharmD, BCPS Urvi Patel, PharmD Mina Willis, PharmD, BCPS, PA-C Mariam Ahmed, PharmD Kelli Bankard, PharmD
Critical Care/Surgical	Nana Safo, PharmD, BCPS, MBA Madalyn Hise, PharmD David Green, PharmD
Hematology/Oncology	Frank Grollman, PharmD, BCOP Michael Edwards, PharmD, BCOP, MBA
Management/Administrative	COL John Spain, PharmD CDR Gary West, PharmD LTC Aatif Sheikh, PharmD
Infectious Disease	
Ambulatory Care	Annie Nguyen, PharmD Nicki Desai, PharmD Lobat Mojaheeri, PharmD Patricia Oh, PharmD Dana Lugo-Lopez, PharmD
Nuclear	Robert Massey, PharmD Dan Driver, RPh,
NICU	Mylan Tran, BSP Pharm
Formulary Mgt/Drug Info	
Cardiology	

Benefits

We know that you have many choices when deciding where to work. We also know that an excellent benefits package is important to your professional and personal life.

- Competitive Salary
- Thrift Savings Plan (TSP)
- 10 days paid leave
- Supplemental Life Insurance
- Long-Term Disability Insurance
- Free Parking
- Credit Union
- Direct Deposit
- Commuter Transportation Benefits



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What Do I Do Next?

Mail the following to Nana Safo, Program Director, by January 13th, 2012:

- Application Form
- Letter of Intent
- Curriculum Vitae
- 3 Letters of Recommendation (may be mailed, faxed or emailed followed by hardcopy)
- Official transcripts

Mail to: Nana Safo, PharmD, BCPS, MBA
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